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I will be telling you about the 5 themes of geography are: place, motion, environment, interaction and regions. And what they are used for, good question read on and if you knew nothing about the themes, then I will make it clear for you.

The first theme is on place. Know place and movement are one of the most important words used in geography. Why you ask well the world is filled with places but they are all different some are big and some are small. And they are all unique just like a person is unique in their own way.

The second theme is motion. Motion is when and motion is getting you from one place to another, for example how did you get to school? Did you drive, take the bus, ride your bike or even walk. All of those are examples of motion. Geographers look at motion in 2 different ways, one of the ways is system and the other is flow. System is where a pattern of routes connects places together. And flow measures the volume of people or products

The third theme is environment. There are 5 environment factors and they are landforms, climate, water, soils and natural vegetation. But anyway back to the environment. Environment describes everything around us.

The forth theme I am going to talk about is interaction. Geography focuses on the relationship between people and the earth. The interaction theme in geography highlights this connection.

And for my last theme which is about regions. A region is a similar concept, except that it involves a larger area of the earth.

And those are the 5 themes of geography.